

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1625

MARGARET HAN DUGAN

Examiner: Charanjit Aulakh

APPLICATION NO: 10/518,989

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FOR: COMBINATION COMPRISING A VASCULOSTATIC COMPOUND
AND AN ALKYLATING AGENT FOR THE TREATMENT OF A
TUMOR

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated February 26, 2009 finally rejecting claims 1,2,4,7-9,11 and 12.

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis in the amount of \$540 for payment of the appeal fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis.
- The appeal fee was paid in a previous appeal herein. The examiner re-opened prosecution prior to any decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. No fee is now due.
- Enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time.

Respectfully submitted,



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